

Illustration for Beginners - People and Places

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Day	Times	Start date	End date	No of Weeks	Fee
Tuesday	1-3.30pm	12.10.2021	07.12.2021	8	£104 /*Free

**If you are unemployed, looking for work, and are in receipt of a means tested benefit, you do not have to pay the course fees. You will need to sign a self-declaration form stating that you are looking for a job and provide supporting evidence.*

**If you are in low paid employment and you earn less than £10.85p/h or £21,157.59 annual gross salary, you do not have to pay the course fees. You will need to provide proof of income, for example, this could be a wage slip within 3 months of the course start date, or a current employment contract, which states gross monthly/annual wages.*

About the course

This course is part of our creative art specialist programme designed to enable learners to develop their practice in visual arts. Once you have completed this course you might decide to continue your learning on either other specialist courses or by gaining a qualification in creative arts, to gain confidence to take your work further into an independent artistic or illustration practice.

On this course you will learn the principles of illustration design and how to compose and draw your own work. The focus is on illustration of people and places, with exercises to guide you step by step in a comic or graphic style. After completing the course, you will have gained confidence in how to portrait people, both bodies and faces, in specific locations.

What will I learn?

After this course you will be able to:

- Draw a person in a graphic style following basic principles of the human anatomy and basic body proportions
- Draw a person in at least one alternative pose
- Draw a person's face in a graphic style following guidelines on basic body proportions
- Indicate location and environment in graphic frames in relation to human proportions
- Understand an illustrator's tools and equipment, and how to prepare and use them.

What are the entry requirements?

- There are no specific entry requirements for this course and it is open to beginners. However, some prior knowledge of drawing and painting will be useful.
- We use Google Suite for Education to record your learning journey. If you are a new learner with us, we will create an account for you. Details will be sent to your personal email so please check your inbox and spam regularly prior to course start.

What do I need to bring with me?

- Sketchpad, pencils and erasers are necessary. We recommend an A3 size sketchpad.
- As you develop your drawings you might wish to include other mediums to colour your illustrations. Your tutor will guide you further.

How will my learning be assessed?

This is a non-accredited course with the intent to benefit lifelong learning. Your tutor will give you regular verbal and written feedback to support your progression. You will submit your course work and track your learning in Google Classroom. You will participate in group discussions and receive guidance.

To successfully complete the course your attendance should be a minimum of 85% and course work should be completed by the end of the course. **Please note that the first session is an induction to the course and the centre, so it is therefore essential that you attend.** If you for any reason are unable to attend, please let us know and ensure that you read through the induction slides located in your Google Classroom and complete any related tasks.

What can I do after completing this course?

- The most obvious next step after this course would be to continue your learning on courses in illustration specialism, for example the upcoming *Illustrating Picture Books - Visual Storytelling* in the Spring Term. You might also wish to broaden your skills on other creative art courses to improve your illustration practice.
 - At the end of the course your tutor will advise you on your possible next steps.
 - You can call us to find out about upcoming courses on 020 8583 6000
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 - Visit <http://www.hace.ac.uk/employment-support>
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